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COORDINATED AGENCY RECOVERY EFFORT

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Land Movement Continues at Paseo Del Mar

City and County agencies continue to respond in San Pedro where a portion of the coastal bluff above White Point Beach is sliding towards the ocean.

The ongoing ground movement has already forced the closure of Paseo Del Mar to both vehicles and pedestrians between Weymouth and Western Avenues.

The County Public Works Department today suspended excavation for the rerouting of a 54-inch storm drain pending another inspection of the site by geologists.

Engineers and geologists from both the City and County of Los Angeles continue to closely monitor the situation and coordinate the rerouting of storm drains and the capping of sewer and water lines within the anticipated slide area.

The County Public Works Department is planning to relocate two storm drains as part of a construction project that is expected to take about a month to complete. Following a request from local residents, the project's daily construction start time has been changed from 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 a.m.

Meanwhile, the City of Los Angeles has responded to resident requests for additional road closure and detour signage around the affected area and adjoining neighborhoods. The City's Department of Transportation expects to have the additional detour plans and signs in place soon. A map outlining the detours will be posted on the special Paseo Del Mar Incident link of the Coordinated Agency Recovery Effort (CARE) website.

The link includes up-to-date information about road closures and utility service disruptions, local maps and photographs of the incident. It can be found at www.dpwcare.org.

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